

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Brokenshire et al.** § Group Art Unit: **2109**  
Serial No.: **10/763,079** § Examiner: **Anwari, Maceeh**  
Filed: **January 22, 2004** § Attorney Docket No.: **AUS920030972US1**  
For: **Unidirectional Message** § Customer No.: **50170**  
**Masking and Validation System**  
**and Method** §

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